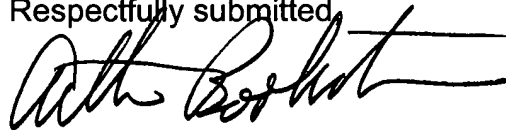


REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This is in response to the official action of January 28, 2005. Applicants have cancelled all of the rejected claims 1-4, 6-8, 13-19, 22-26 and 28 without prejudice to applicants' right to continue prosecution in a continuing application. Claims 5, 9-12, 20, 21 and 27 which were indicated to define allowable subject matter have been rewritten in independent form and are now considered to be allowable.

Respectfully submitted



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